

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 2391**

**Introduced by Committee on Utilities and Commerce (Levine (Chair), Bogh (Vice Chair), Baca, Blakeslee, Cohn, De La Torre, Jerome Horton, Montanez, Ridley-Thomas, and Wyland)**

February 23, 2006

An act to amend Section 353.15 of the Public Utilities Code, relating to energy resources.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 2391, as introduced, Committee on Utilities and Commerce. Distributed energy resources: reporting requirement.

Existing law requires customers that install distributed energy resources to report annually to the Public Utilities Commission specified information about the energy resources. Existing law also required the commission to evaluate that information, and, within two years of the effective date of the act that added these requirements, to prepare and submit to the Governor and the Legislature a report recommending any changes to the article.

This bill would delete the obsolete requirement that the commission make this report.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

1     SECTION 1. Section 353.15 of the Public Utilities Code is  
2     amended to read:

1 353.15. (a) In order to evaluate the efficiency, emissions, and  
2 reliability of distributed energy resources with a capacity greater  
3 than 10 kilowatts, customers that install those resources pursuant  
4 to this article shall report to the commission, on an annual basis,  
5 all of the following information, as recorded on a monthly basis:

6 (1) Heat rate for the resource.

7 (2) Total kilowatthours produced in the peak and off-peak  
8 periods, as determined by the ISO.

9 (3) Emissions data for the resource, as required by the State  
10 Air Resources Board or the appropriate air quality management  
11 district or air pollution control district.

12 (b) The commission shall release the information submitted  
13 pursuant to subdivision (a) in a manner that does not identify the  
14 individual user of the distributed energy resource.

15 ~~(c) The commission, in consultation with the State Air~~  
16 ~~Resources Board, air quality management districts, air pollution~~  
17 ~~control districts, and the State Energy Resources Conservation~~  
18 ~~and Development Commission, shall evaluate the information~~  
19 ~~submitted pursuant to subdivision (a) and, within two years of the~~  
20 ~~effective date of the act adding this article, prepare and submit to~~  
21 ~~the Governor and the Legislature a report recommending any~~  
22 ~~changes to this article it determines necessary based upon that~~  
23 ~~information.~~